

## Postsecondary Education Funding

**Funding Model:** Which method(s) — a base model, a base plus, a formula or another method — is/are used for funding postsecondary education?

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STATE ▲	POLICY APPLIES TO:	FUNDING MODEL
Alabama	2-year and/or technical colleges	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Alabama	4-year institutions	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Alaska	University of Alaska System (Oversees budget requests for 2- and 4-year institutions)	Other
Arizona	2-year and/or technical colleges	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Arizona	4-year institutions	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Arkansas	2-year and/or technical colleges	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Arkansas	4-year institutions	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy

STATE ▲	POLICY APPLIES TO:	FUNDING MODEL
California	California Community College System	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
California	California State University System	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
California	University of California System	Other
Colorado	All state/public postsecondary institutions	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Connecticut	Regional Community/Technical Colleges	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Connecticut	Connecticut State University	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Connecticut	University of Connecticut	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Connecticut	Charter Oak State College	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Delaware	University of Delaware	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Delaware	Delaware State University	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Delaware	Delaware Technical and Community College	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
District of Columbia	Community College of the District of Columbia	Other
District of Columbia	University of the District of Columbia	Other
Florida	Florida College System	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)

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Florida	University of Florida and Florida State University	Other
Georgia	Technical College System of Georgia	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Georgia	University System of Georgia	Other
Hawaii	University of Hawaii System (Oversees budget requests for 2- and 4-year institutions)	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Idaho	All public 2-year and 4-year institutions	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Illinois	2-year and/or technical colleges	Base plus
Illinois	4-year institutions	Base plus
Indiana	Institutions under the Commission for Higher Education (Oversees budget requests for 2- and 4-year institutions)	Other
Iowa	Community Colleges	Base funding, other
Iowa	4-year institutions	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Kansas	Technical Colleges (coordinated by the Board of Regents)	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Kansas	Public Colleges and Universities (governed by the Board of Regents)	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Kentucky	Kentucky Community and Technical College System (KCTCS)	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Kentucky	Public Universities	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Louisiana	Louisiana Community and Technical College System	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)

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Louisiana	4-year institutions	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Maine	Community Colleges	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Maine	University of Maine System	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
Maryland	Universities and 4-year institutions	Base plus
Maryland	Community colleges	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models), Base plus
Massachusetts	2-year and/or technical colleges	Other
Massachusetts	4-year institutions	Other
Michigan	Community Colleges	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Michigan	Universities	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Minnesota	University of Minnesota System and the Minnesota State Colleges and Universities System	Other
Mississippi	Mississippi Institutions of Higher Learning System	Base plus
Mississippi	Community and Junior Colleges	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Missouri	Community and technical colleges	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Missouri	Four-year institutions	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Montana	Community College System	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)

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Montana	Montana University System	Other
Nebraska	Community Colleges	Other
Nebraska	Nebraska State College System	Other
Nebraska	University of Nebraska	Other
Nevada	Nevada System of Higher Education (2-year institutions)	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Nevada	Nevada System of Higher Education (4-year institutions)	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
New Hampshire	Community College System of New Hampshire	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
New Hampshire	University System of New Hampshire	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
New Jersey	2-year and/or technical colleges	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
New Jersey	4-year institutions	No policy adopted or none specified in adopted policy
New Mexico	Community Colleges	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
New Mexico	Comprehensive University Sector and Research Institutions	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
New York	State University of New York	Base funding
New York	The City University of New York	Base plus
New York	Community Colleges	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)

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North Carolina	North Carolina Community College System	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
North Carolina	University of North Carolina System	Other
North Dakota	North Dakota University System (2-year and 4-year institutions)	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Ohio	Community and Technical Colleges	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Ohio	Universities and Regional Campuses	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Oklahoma	Oklahoma State System of Higher Education, (Oversees budget requests for 2- and 4-year institutions)	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Oregon	Community colleges	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Oregon	Public Universities and the Oregon Health Sciences University	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Pennsylvania	Pennsylvania's State System of Higher Education	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Pennsylvania	Community colleges	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Rhode Island	Community College of Rhode Island	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Rhode Island	Rhode Island College	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Rhode Island	University of Rhode Island	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
South Carolina	South Carolina Technical College System	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models), Other

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South Carolina	South Carolina Commission on Higher Education (Oversees budget requests for 2- and 4-year institutions)	Other
South Dakota	South Dakota Board of Regents, 4-year institutions	Base funding, other
South Dakota	South Dakota Technical Institute System	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models), Other
Tennessee	Tennessee Board of Regents System, 2-year institutions	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Tennessee	University of Tennessee System and other 4-year institutions	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Texas	Community Colleges	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Texas	General Academic Institutions	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Texas	Health-Related Institutions	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Texas	Technical Colleges	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Texas	Lamar State	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Utah	Utah System of Higher Education (Oversees budget requests for 2- and 4-year institutions)	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models), Other
Utah	Technical Colleges	Formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models), Other
Vermont	University of Vermont	Base funding
Vermont	Vermont State College System	Base funding, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)

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Virginia	Virginia Community College System	Base plus, other
Virginia	4-year institutions	Base plus, other
Washington	Washington Community and Technical College System	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Washington	4-year institutions	Base plus, other
West Virginia	West Virginia Community and Technical College System	Base plus, other
West Virginia	West Virginia Higher Education Policy Commission, 4-year institutions	Base plus, other
Wisconsin	University of Wisconsin System (Oversees budget requests for 2- and 4-year institutions)	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Wisconsin	Wisconsin Technical College System	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Wyoming	Wyoming Community College System	Base plus, formula (any kind, including performance or outcomes models)
Wyoming	University of Wyoming	Base plus, other